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OTHER GODS

آلِهَةٌ أُخْرَى

The Forensic Audit of Modern Shirk

Identifying the rivals that compete with the One

Book Overview

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About the Book

OTHER GODS | آلِهَةٌ أُخْرى is the diagnostic companion to ONE | الوَاحِد within The Source of Truth System™ | نظام مصدر الحق.

Where ONE establishes the truth of Tawheed and the rightful authority of Allah alone, OTHER GODS examines the rivals that still compete for authority inside the human being and the modern world.

The book asks one of the most uncomfortable questions in the journey of faith:

What still competes with Allah in the human being?

Not every idol is made of stone.

-- Some are built from fear.
-- Some are built from status.
-- Some are built from desire.
-- Some are built from ideology.
-- Some are built from tribe, culture, approval, systems, wealth, power, and the self.

OTHER GODS explores modern forms of shirk not only as visible worship, but as misplaced authority, misplaced fear, misplaced love, misplaced obedience, misplaced dependence, and misplaced loyalty.

The central burden of the book is simple:

The rival god does not always ask you to bow. Sometimes it only asks you to obey.

This overview introduces the book's purpose, position, and role within the wider Source of Truth System. It is not the full manuscript. It is a brief public introduction to the book's diagnostic function and its treatment of modern shirk, false authority, and divided allegiance.

Why This Book Matters

Many people think shirk belongs only to the ancient world. They imagine idols as carved images, temples, statues, and open acts of worship. But the deeper danger is not always so obvious.

A rival can enter the heart without being named as a god.

-- A desire can become untouchable.

-- A fear can become controlling.
-- A tribe can define truth.
-- A system can demand obedience.
-- A public image can become sacred.
-- A career can become identity.
-- A leader can become absolute.
-- A culture can become unquestionable.
-- The self can become its own authority.

OTHER GODS | آلِهٌ أُخْرى is written as a forensic audit of these rival authorities. It asks:

What rules you when no one is watching?
What do you protect even when it corrupts you?
What do you fear losing more than truth?
What defines your worth?
What authority can command you against what you know is right?
What desire has become impossible to question?
What loyalty has become stronger than obedience to Allah?

The book does not begin by asking the reader to identify other people's idols. It begins by making the reader examine their own.

Because false gods are not only worshipped with words. They are often obeyed through choices, protected through excuses, defended through fear, and served through habits.

Place in the System

Within The Source of Truth System™ | نظام مصدر الحق, this book functions as Stage 1.5.

Its human function is:

What still competes with Allah in you.

The system begins with THE REALITY OF EXISTENCE, which asks what is real and why anything exists at all. It then moves to THE BOOK, which asks why revelation is necessary and how the human being can know what the Source of reality wants.

Then ONE establishes Tawheed: the return of authority, worship, love, fear, dependence, obedience, and loyalty to Allah alone.

OTHER GODS follows by asking what still competes with that return. It is a bridge between Tawheed and the lived struggle of the human being. It exposes the hidden rivals that survive even after a person claims belief.

The next stage of the system is:

Core Themes

OTHER GODS | آلِهةٌ أُخْرى explores:

-- Modern shirk
-- False authority
-- Divided loyalty
-- Hidden obedience
-- Desire as ruler
-- Fear as master
-- Status as identity
-- Ideology as substitute truth
-- Culture as unquestioned authority
-- Systems that demand allegiance
-- The self as rival authority
-- The difference between claim and actual obedience
-- The return of authority to Allah alone

The book treats shirk as a living diagnostic, not only a historical category. Its purpose is to help the reader identify the rivals that compete with Tawheed in real life.

Closing Note

OTHER GODS | آلِهةٌ أُخْرى is not written as a casual discussion of ancient idolatry. It is written as an audit of the modern heart.

The human being may reject idols in language while obeying rivals in practice. The tongue may affirm Tawheed while the life is still governed by fear, desire, image, tribe, ideology, status, wealth, power, or self.

This is why the question must become personal:

What still competes with the One?

-- A false god does not always announce itself.
-- Sometimes it hides inside the thing a person cannot disobey.
-- Sometimes it lives inside the thing a person cannot surrender.
-- Sometimes it survives inside the thing a person protects even when it damages the soul.

The rival god does not always ask you to bow. Sometimes it only asks you to obey.

Build carefully. Operate intelligently. Grow with purpose.

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A structured framework exploring reality, revelation, identity, responsibility, and prophetic guidance.

You are reading: OTHER GODS (Stage 1.5) -- the complete journey of 14 books is below.

No.	Stage	Title	Arabic	Main Subtitle	Secondary Subtitle
1	0	**THE REALITY OF EXISTENCE**	حقيقة الوجود والمعنى	Why Anything Exists at All	Before belief, there is a question: what is real?
2	0.5	**THE BOOK**	الْكِتَاب	Why Revelation Is Necessary	If reality has a Source, then truth must have a voice.
3	1	**ONE**	الوَاحِد	From Oneness to Deviation	The Story of Tawheed and Shirk
4	1.5	**OTHER GODS**	آلِهَةٌ أُخْرَى	The Forensic Audit of Modern Shirk	Identifying the rivals that compete with the One
5	2	**QADAR**	القَدَر	The Ink Has Dried	Between Divine Decree and Human Choice
6	3	**THE REALITY OF LIFE**	حقيقة الحياة	From Dunya to Akhirah	You live. You die. And then your life actually begins.
7	4	**I, UNDEFINED**	أنا بلا تعريف	Beyond Labels, Toward the True Self	You are not what the world defined you to be.
8	5	**THE INNER SYSTEM**	النظام الداخلي	Nafs, Shaytan, and Tazkiyah	Understanding the Architecture Within
9	6	**SHAJARAH**	الشجرة الطيبة والشجرة الخبيثة	The Pure Tree and the Corrupt Tree	The System of Human Formation
10	7	**HAQOOQ**	حقوق الله وحقوق العباد	What You Owe Allah and What You Owe Humanity	The System of Responsibility
11	8	**IBRAHIM**	إبراهيم عليه السلام	The Origin of Tawheed	The Path of Absolute Submission
12	9	**MUSA**	موسى عليه السلام	Liberation, Law, and the Longest Conversation with God	From Slavery to Structured Law
13	10	**ISA**	عيسى عليه السلام	Truth Between Revelation and Distortion	Restoring What the System Buried
14	11	**MUHAMMAD (peace be upon him)**	محمد صلى الله عليه وسلم	The Life That Changed Everything	The Best of All Human Beings

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